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AT the Court at St. James's, the 25th Day of February, 1747.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS his Majesty was pleased, by his Order in Council of the Twenty Third of January last, to direct, That all the Rules and Regulations therein referred to, which have been made by his Majesty in Council relating to the Distemper'd Cattle, should continue and remain in Force for the Space of One Calendar Month, from the First Day of this Instant February:— And whereas the said Term of One Month will expire on the First Day of March next;— His Majesty doth therefore hereby order, with the Advice of his Privy Council, That all the said Rules and Regulations do continue and remain in full Force for the Space of Fourteen Days, to commence upon the said First Day of March next. Whereof all Persons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themselves accordingly.

William Sharpe.

Venice, Feb. 16, N. S. There is just arrived in this Port, on board a Venetian Ship come from Alexandria, Mr. Peisley, a Supercargo of the East India Company, who having lost his Passage, came from Bombay to Aleppo by Land; by whom we learn, that he left India in April last, when they had received Advice, that Commodore Griffin, with 15 Ships of War fitted out at Bengal, was arrived before Pondicherry. The Day that Mr. Peisley left Surat, they intercepted a Packet designed for the French Commander, by which they discovered the Stations of their Men of War, as also that they were starving at Pondicherry for Want of Provisions, particularly Rice, which was not to be procured at any Price. They had sent four Ships on the Malabar Coast for Provisions, which were still at Myhim at the Time the English Ships came before Pondicherry.

St. James's, February 24.

This Day Signior Grossatesta, Minister from the Duke of Modena, had his first private Audience of his Majesty, to deliver his Letters of Credence; to which he was introduced by his Grace the Duke of Bedford, one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Kt. Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, February 27.

On Wednesday Morning last his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland set out from St. James's for Harwich, there to embark on board the Fubbs Yacht for Holland; and by an Express arrived late last Night, his Royal Highness sail'd about One Yesterday in the Afternoon with a fair Wind.

Admiralty Office, February 27.

There are certain Advices come here from some Captains of his Majesty's Cruizing Ships

that are put into Port, that the Magnanime, a French Ship of War of 74 Guns and 700 Men, commanded by the Chevalier D'Albert, Chef d'Escadre, being taken by his Majesty's Ship the Nottingham of 60 Guns, commanded by Captain Harland, and the Portland of 50 Guns, commanded by Captain Stevens; but neither those Ships, nor the Prize being yet come into Port, farther Particulars are expected.

Whitehall, February 20, 1747-8.

Whereas on Monday the 1st Instant, between the Hours of Six and Eight in the Evening, the Exeter Waggon was robbed on Turnham Green in the County of Middlesex, of a Box, containing Writings, and Title Deeds of Lands in Warham in the County of Dorset, by two Men on Foot, and three on Horseback: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Robbery, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as they, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

BEDFORD.

And as a farther Encouragement, a Reward of Fifty Pounds will be paid to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, upon Conviction of the Offender or Offenders, by Henry Drax, Esq; at his House in Pall Mall.

H. Drax.

Whitehall, February 20, 1747-8.

It having been represented to his Majesty, That on Sunday the 3d Day of January last, in the Evening, a sudden Fire broke out in the Town of Winslow in the County of Bucks, but by the most timely Assistance was extinguished without doing any considerable Damage; And that on the Friday following, being the 8th of January last, in the Evening, another Fire broke out on the same Spot of Ground with that of the Sunday preceding, which burnt with very great Violence for several Hours, and in that Time consumed Barns, Stables, Backhouses, &c. to a very great Amount, and reduced several Families to very great Extremity. And as there is, from several concurrent Circumstances, the highest Probability to suspect that the said Town was set on Fire by some malicious and evil disposed People; his Majesty, for the better Discovery, and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in the said Crime, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

BEDFORD.

And as a farther Encouragement, I do hereby promise a Reward of Ten Guineas to any Person or Persons who shall make Discovery as aforesaid of his, her or their Accomplice or Accomplices, so that he, she or they be convicted thereof.

Ri. Lowndes.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Ship's Company of his Majesty's Ship the Port Mabon, that the Bounty Money for the Flying Hawk French Privateer Cutter, taken the 8th of July 1747, will be paid on Saturday next, the 27th Instant, from the Hour of Three to Six, at the Sun Tavern, Fish-street-bill, near the Monument; and such Shares as are not then demanded, will be paid at the same Place the first Saturday in every Month for three Years.

Navy.

Navy-Office, Feb. 11, 1747.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to sell and import the Stores under-mentioned for his Majesty's Service, between Nine and Ten of the Clock each Morning, on the Days expressed against the same, that they may attend with their Proposals at those Times, viz.

Iron, Wednesday March the 2d, 1747.

Dantzick Plank and Prussia Deals, Friday the 4th.

Norway Goods, Wednesday the 9th.

Hemp, Friday the 11th.

East Country Tar, Wednesday the 16th.

Riga Masts, Friday the 18th.

The Committee for Letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to let by several Leases the following Lots, viz.

N^o 1. On a Repairing Lease for 21 Years. One large Messuage or Tenement, formerly two, without Newgate, and adjoining thereto, on the South Side, at the Corner of the Old Bailey, with several Conveniencies backwards, in the Occupation of Mr. Marshall, Oylman.

2 On a Repairing Lease for 21 Years. One Messuage or Tenement fronting Roomland at Queenhithe, with a Backhouse or Warehouse laid into the same, in the Occupation of Samuel Clarke, Snuff maker.

3. On a Repairing Lease for 21 Years. One Messuage or Tenement next the above, with a Back-house or Warehouse laid into the same, in the Occupation of John Ward, Dealer in Sacks.

4. On a Repairing Lease for 21 Years. One Messuage or Tenement next the last mentioned, with a Back-house or Warehouse laid into the same, in the Occupation of Sherland Short.

5. On a Repairing Lease for 21 Years. One Messuage or Tenement next adjoining thereto, with a Back-house or Warehouse laid into the same, in the Occupation of Mathew Langley, Oylman.

6. On a Repairing Lease for 21 Years. One Messuage or Tenement, with a large Vault underneath, next adjoining Southward to the North-west Corner of St. Dunstan's Hill, in the Occupation of Elizabeth Price.

7. On a Repairing Lease for 21 Years. One Messuage or Tenement opposite Creed Church, in Creed Church Lane, in Leadenhall-street, untenanted, in the Possession of Mr. George Clarke.

8. On a Building Lease for 61 Years. One Messuage or Tenement adjoining Westward to the Alms-houses in Hart-street within Cripplegate.

9. On a Building Lease for 61 Years. One Messuage or Tenement next the above.

Note, The two last mentioned Lots will be Let together or separate, at the Option of the Bidders.

10. On a Building Lease for 61 Years, or a Repairing Lease for 21 Years, at the Option of the Bidders. One Messuage or Tenement, Warehouse and Vault, in Mining-lane, untenanted, late in the Occupation of Mr. Hughes, Merchant.

And that the said Committee will sit in the Council Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 9th Day of March next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the same: Of which further Information and printed Particulars may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid. On which said printed Particulars, all Persons bidding for any of the above Lots, are to write their Proposals.

D. Seaman, Comptroller.

East India House, Feb. 18, 1747.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up on Thursday the 10th of March next at Two of the Clock.

That a Quarterly General Court will be holden at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 23d of the said Month, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at the said House on Thursday the 24th of the said Month.

That a General Court will be holden at the said House on Wednesday the 6th of April next, for the

Election of Twenty-four Directors of the said Company for the Year ensuing, which will continue from Nine in the Morning till Six in the Afternoon of the same Day, after which Time no Lists will be taken in. And that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be opened on Thursday the 7th of the said Month of April.

London, Feb. 27, 1747.

The North-West Committee do hereby give Notice, That a General Meeting of the Subscribers to the late Expedition for the Discovery of a North-West Passage to the Western and Southern Ocean of America, is appointed to be held on Thursday the 17th of March next, at Garraway's Coffee-house, precisely at Eleven o'Clock, in order to lay before them the State of the Accounts, and other special Affairs.

Sam. Smith, Secretary.

The Court of Assistants of the Russia Company give Notice, that the Annual General Court of the said Company will be held at Salter's-hall, Cannon-street, on Tuesday the First Day of March next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Election of a Governor, Consuls, Assistants, and other Officers for the Year ensuing.

Notice is hereby given to the Captain, Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship *Shterness*, who were on Board at the taking of *Le Jenne Conquerant*, a French Privateer, that the several Shares of said Prize will begin to be paid on the first of March next, at the Sign of the Ship in Penzance, Cornwall, and to be continued the first Tuesday in every Month for three Years.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majesty's Ships *Hampshire* and *Falcon* Sloop, who were on board them at the taking the *Bagatelle*, a French Prize, the 18th of August last, (in Company with his Majesty's Ships *Vigilant* and *Oxford*) that they will be paid their respective Shares of said Prize, on board their Ships at Plymouth, on Wednesday the 16th of March next, or on their Return from their Cruizes. And such Shares as are not then demanded, will be paid at the King's Head Tavern in Fenchurch-street, on the last Wednesday in every Month for three Years after; at which Place and Time the Recalls of the *Vigilant* and *Oxford* for the said Prize will likewise be paid.

Notice is hereby given to such of the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship *Dreadnought*, as were on board at the taking of the Prize *Santa Theresa*, in November 1746, in the West Indies, and are now at Home, that they may receive their respective Shares of the Produce of the said Prize, at Mr. Hanbrow's Office on Tower-hill, on Wednesday the 23d of March next. After which a List of the unpaid Shares will be sent to Antegoa, to pay the Officers and Men on board; and upon the Return of it (of which publick Notice will be given) the Recalls for the undemanded Shares will be carried on as usual, on the first Tuesday of every Month for three Years from this Publication.

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WHEREAS the Partnership Trade lately carried on between Benjamin Horrocks, John Saint, and Samuel Hughes, in Birchin Lane, London, hath for some Time past been dissolved and ended, and Articles of Dissolution thereof duly executed, by which all the Debts due and owing to the said Partners on Account of their Partnership Trade, is to be paid to the said Benjamin Horrocks for his sole Use, and of which all Persons indebted to the said Partnerships Estate, are desired to take Notice, and to pay their said Debts to no Person whomsoever but the said Benjamin Horrocks, or such Person or Persons to be by him duly authorized to receive the same.

TO be sold peremptorily, intire or in Parcels, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, on Monday the 21st of March next, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, The Freehold and Copyhold Estates, late of Richard Atkins, deceased, in Eaton, Totternhoe, and Billingden, in the County of Bedford, of the yearly Value of 68 l. 6 s. 6 d. Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, before Henry Montague, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, pursuant to a Decree of the said Court, at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Monday the 28th Day of March next, between the Hours of Five and Seven of the Clock in the Afternoon, The Estate late of William Newland, Esq; deceased, lying in the several Parishes of Ewell, Thames Ditton, and Long Ditton, near Epsom in the County of Surry, of the yearly Value of 504 l. and upwards. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be sold before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-lane, London, on Thursday the 17th of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, The Leasehold Estate of Jane Monfort, Widow, deceased, consisting of two Messuages, Coach-house, Stable and Gardens, situate at Stoke Newington in Middlesex, upon Lease for 59 Years from Michaelmas 1720, of the yearly Value together of 21 l. 4 s. subject to a Ground-rent of 2 l. 8 s. a Year. Further Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Nathaniel Maccaferree, late of Barbican, London, Armourer and Braisier, at Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 16th Day of March next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, Several Messuages and Tenements situate in Barbican aforesaid, held by several Leases from St. Bartholomew's Hospital and Christ's Hospital, for long Terms of Years yet to come, subject to Ground-rents payable to the said Hospitals. Particulars whereof may be had of Mr. Charles Brown, in Bucklersbury, Clerk to the said Commission, or of Mr. Robert Henshaw, in Aldersgate-street.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Edward Lynch, late of Ipswich in the County of Suffolk, Esq; deceased, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London, on or before the 27th Day of April next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, such of the Creditors of John Degge, late of Kick's End, in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, whose Debts were contracted on the Account of Simon Degge, Esq; a Lunatick, the Brother of the said John Degge, are peremptorily to come and prove their said Debts before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 24th Day of March next, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the aforesaid Order.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Walter Davis, late of Chesham in the County of Monmouth, Shopkeeper, deceased, are forthwith to come before Robert Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-lane, London, and prove their respective Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of his Majesty's Court of Exchequer at Chester, bearing Date the 20th Day of April last past, in a Cause wherein John Jackson, and others, Creditors of William Barker, late of Northwich, in the County Palatine of Chester, Mercer, deceased, on behalf of themselves and other the Creditors of the said decedent Barker are Complainants, and Samuel Johnson, Administrator of the Goods and Chattels of the said William Barker, and John Barker, Son and Heir of the said William Barker, an Infant, by the said Samuel Johnson, his Guardian, are Defendants: Notice is hereby given to the several Creditors of the said William Barker who have not already come in and proved their Debts, that unless they come in and prove the same before James Mainwaring, Esq; Baron of the said Court, on or before the 21st Day of March next, they will be excluded from having any Benefit by the said Decree.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate and Effects of Judith Seguret, late of Church-street, in the Parish of Christ-Church, in the County of Middlesex, Widow, deceased, are required forthwith to pay the respective Debts due by them to the said Deceased, unto John Duval, of Warrford Court, Throgmorton-street, London, and Judith his Wife, the Daughter and Administratrix to the said Deceased, and to no other Person whomsoever, otherwise they will be sued for the same without further Notice.

THE Creditors of John Barker, late of Lombard-street, London, Goldsmith, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Wednesday the 2d Day of March next, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Three Tun Tavern in Grace-church-street, London, in order to empower the said Assignees to submit to Arbitration, compound, or otherwise compromise any Debt or Matter in Dispute relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt was on the 8th Day of February, 1746, awarded and issued against Kender Mason, late of Bread-street, London, Merchant, and who was by the major Part of the Commissioners therein named, found and declared to be a Bankrupt; and the said Bankrupt having left his House, and absented and gone into Parts in the West-Indies beyond the Seas, and not having surrendered himself to the Commissioners to make a Discovery of his Estate and Effects, in order to take the Benefit of the several Acts of Parliament relating to Bankrupts; and the said Bankrupt having, since the Time of his said absenting as aforesaid, ship'd and consign'd by himself and Agents sundry Goods and Merchandizes, and made other Remittances by Notes, Bills of Exchange, and otherwise, to sundry Persons unknown to William Herbert, of Threadneedle-street, London, Insurance Broker, and James Johnson, of Spittlefields, Middlesex, Weaver, Assignees to the said Bankrupt's Estate, to a great Value: The Assignees, for the discovering whereof, do hereby promise to pay to any Person or Persons who shall discover to them to whom such of the Estate and Effects belonging to the said Bankrupt have or hath been consign'd or delivered, upon recovering thereof, Ten Pounds for every Hundred Pounds in Value; and such Person or Persons are desired to give Notice thereof to the said Assignees, or to Mr. Cracraft, Attorney, in Braban Court, Philpot-lane, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Smith, of the Parish of St. Alban Wood-street, London, Grocer, intend to meet on the 23d Day of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and the Claimants under the said Commission, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Jane Nooth, late of the City of Wells, in the County of Somerset, Widow and Dealer in Wines, intend to meet on the 21st Day of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Joseph Elliot, being the Fountain Tavern in High street, Bristol, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.